

SAY SPONSORS FOR BIG NOTES CAN'T BE FOUND

Carnegie Trust Grand Jury Expects to Clear Up Larceny Rumors To-day.

OTHER INDICTMENTS IN AIR

Meanwhile, Official Correspondence Over Deposits in Robin Bank and More Rollins Letters Appear.

Reports were circulated yesterday that the Carnegie Trust Company had notes in its vaults aggregating \$200,000 whose sponsors cannot be found. A strong suspicion pervaded the Criminal Courts Building that the names on them were purely fictitious, but to convince itself that such a bold larceny could be committed under the noses of the officers of the company and the State Banking Department the grand jury adjourned over yesterday and had the District Attorney's detectives root around. Such, at least, was the report which came from the same source from which the District Attorney got his information on the subject.

This question and that of the disappearance of \$127,000 from the assets of the trust company will be straightened out, it is expected, at today's session of the grand jury. Indictments confidently prophesied for to-day, however, have been postponed by the court until next week. The recipient will be an associate of the indicted Cummins, it is said.

A letter from Charles H. Hyde, City Chamberlain, to Controller Prendergast, apprising the latter that the Northern Bank had been chosen as a city depository, was produced yesterday. It reads as follows:

"February 9, 1910.
Hon. William A. Prendergast, Controller, City of New York.

"Dear Sir:—I have selected the Northern Bank, Tremont Branch, at No. 365 East Tremont avenue, as the depository for collections of taxes and arrears in the Borough of The Bronx.

"Will you, therefore, please direct the Deputy Receiver of Taxes and the Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx, beginning Monday, February 14, 1910, to deposit their daily collections in said bank. Respectfully,
CHARLES H. HYDE, Chamberlain."

Controller's Letters in Case.

Controller Prendergast, following the directions of the City Chamberlain, sent the following letter to General David E. Austin, Receiver of Taxes, and a similar one to Daniel Morahan, Collector of Assessments and Arrears:

"February 10, 1910.
"Dear Sir:—The Northern Bank, Tremont Branch, has recently been designated as a depository for the collection of taxes in the Borough of The Bronx. You will, therefore, direct the Deputy Receiver of Taxes in the Borough of The Bronx to deposit his daily collections in said bank, beginning on Monday, February 14, 1910. Yours very truly,
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST,
Controller."

This correspondence is considered by some a refutation of Deputy Chamberlain Walsh's statement, "on information and belief," that Controller Prendergast had requested that the Northern Bank be designated as a city depository. Others, however, pointed out yesterday that the City Chamberlain's letter to the Controller was a purely formal document, as were those written by the Controller to his subordinates.

A day or two after the failure of the Northern Bank the Controller made public a letter received from General Austin by the City Banking Commission, asking that a bank more convenient than the one being used be designated as a city depository in The Bronx, and suggesting the Northern Bank and one other. The City Banking Commission is composed of the Mayor, the Controller and the Chamberlain, and it alone can designate in what banks city deposits shall be placed. As a usual thing it respects the wishes of the Chamberlain in this regard.

Commissions on City Deposits?

In spite of the law, however, and Mayor Gaynor's oft-repeated announcement that no man need seek favors from his administration by "tipping" those with influence, a witness before the grand jury, it was learned yesterday, has testified that a certain Democratic politician in The Bronx received commissions for the deposit of city money in certain banks, these commissions ranging from one-half of 1 to 1 per cent. The grand jury may be asked for an indictment on this score.

In the meantime it is even delving in the activities of the State Banking Department, seeking to find out, first, who was responsible for letting banks know beforehand that an examination was imminent, and second, whether any one was criminally to blame for passing poor collateral. Bradley Martin, Jr., president of the Nineteenth Ward Bank, has testified that the officers of the Carnegie Trust Company knew beforehand of an impending examination just before its doors were closed, and that they came, to him for help, which he denied them.

It is expected that Robin will resume his testimony before the grand jury next week, and that Andrew Carnegie will be called. Mr. Whitman said yesterday that Mr. Carnegie had indicated his willingness to appear before the grand jury, but that no arrangements had been made as yet with this end in view. Mr. Carnegie's desire to testify has increased, it is said, since the publication of Clark Williams's letter recommending William J. Cummins to him.

Friends of Mr. Williams say that the former State Superintendent of Banks had perfect confidence in Cummins at the time he wrote the letter, that he had known him as "a loyal, honorable, high spirited gentleman, worthy of recommendation to anybody," and that although he resigned his post as Bank Su-

UNDERGROUND WIRELESS

Messages Sent Mile and a Half 1,600 Feet Below Surface.

Berlin, March 23.—Two German scientists, Drs. Leimbach and Loewy, have successfully applied wireless telegraphy to underground communication. Messages have been sent between the potash mines in the North Harz Mountains, a distance of nearly a mile and a half at a level of 1,600 feet below the surface.

The messages were so clearly delivered that the scientists conclude much greater distances are feasible. The discovery is regarded as highly important in case of mine disasters.

SHAW ESTATE PAYS \$492,000

Purely a Moral Obligation, as Assessors Didn't Find Property.

Boston, March 23.—Purely as a moral obligation and not on account of any legal liability, back taxes on the estate of Quincy A. Shaw, amounting to \$492,000 on property overlooked by the assessors in 1908 and 1909 have been paid into the city treasury, according to a report issued by the Finance Committee to-day. The commission finds that the assessors were at fault in not exhausting all means of obtaining information regarding this taxable property, and that the city was unable to enforce collection in full.

The beneficiaries under the will of Mrs. Shaw were asked to pay the amount as a moral obligation, and those beneficiaries have not only done so in the case of the city of Boston, but have paid to the city of Beverly, where Mr. Shaw had a summer home, \$70,000 in additional taxes. Mr. Shaw was prominent for many years in the disbursement of the Cabinet and Hecla Mining Company.

HORSE CAR IN MAD FLIGHT

Team Attached to It Becomes Frightened at Flying Paper.

Paper flying in the wind caused a team of horses attached to an eastbound Chambers street car to take fright at William street last night. One of the horses turned down Madison street when it came to the switch at that point, but as the switch was open for the Roosevelt street ferry route and the other horse continued straight on, the traces broke and the first horse ran down Madison street toward Grand street ferry. The police are looking for the animal.

The other horse, dragging the car behind it, set off at a merry clip down New Chambers street. The driver of the car, James Conroy, of No. 394 Grand street, vainly tried to check the horse. Patrolman Brown finally stopped it near the Roosevelt street ferry.

There were about a dozen men passengers in the car and a woman, Becky Libofsky, of No. 11 Rutgers Place. The man jumped off, although conductor Charles Laszlozo tried to stop them. Miss Libofsky remained in the car. After it was all over she was found to be in such an hysterical condition that she was taken to the Volunteer Hospital.

WOMAN CANNOT GET DRUNK

Husband Sought Divorce on Grounds of Intoxication—Lost.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]
Boston, March 23.—In the divorce session today in the case of William A. Haines, seeking separation from his wife, Ellen, on the ground of confirmed habits of intoxication, Mr. Haines' attorney allowed her to defend herself on this charge on her assertion that it was impossible to get drunk.

"I cannot get drunk," said Mrs. Haines. "I have frequently put this to the test, and sometimes I have been slightly ill, but never have I been intoxicated, nor could I ever get in that condition." She explained that she had been with her husband to many drinking resorts, but never was drunk.

The court dismissed the case and Mrs. Haines left the courtroom smiling.

CAT DIES AFTER MISTRESS

Those Who Watched It Think Its Heart Was Broken.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]
Pittsburgh, March 23.—Hardly twenty-four hours after the death of his mistress, Mrs. Sarah Somers Hood, of Sewickley, Pa., a cat which had been her constant companion died. Mrs. Hood was stricken with heart disease Saturday. The cat remained by her bedside until Monday, when he left the room to roam restlessly about the house, giving vent to mournful wails.

Mrs. Hood's son, Dr. Joseph Hood, summoned from Denver to his mother's side, examined Malt carefully, but could not find he had any ailment. With the death of Mrs. Hood Malt absolutely refused to touch food, and last night, he, too, died. Those at the I. O. home think he died from a broken heart.

SAYS TAFT WILL BE RENAMED

Congressman Loud Declares All Republicans Agree on This.

Boston, March 23.—"All Republicans agree that Taft will be the standard bearer of the Republican party in the next Presidential campaign," said Representative Loud, of Michigan, friend of the President, in an address at the Boston City Club to-night. The speaker was discussing the Panama Canal, but took occasion to extol the President's "stern honesty and sincerity of purpose," and to commend the movement for Canadian reciprocity.

A SILLY RUMOR DENIED.

Frank Seymour Hastings, executor of the estate of former business affairs of Mrs. Frances Hudson Cleveland, made this statement to-night:
"The paragraph appearing this afternoon in one of the New York weekly newspapers, suggesting that there is an engagement of marriage between Dean Andrew P. West of Princeton University and Mrs. Cleveland, is not only without the slightest justification, but is wholly refuted by the fact that Dean West already has a wife and that his son is now a student at Princeton University. Mrs. Cleveland is now on the ocean, bound for Europe."



THE LID OFF.

"This is now the third time, I think, that Magistrate Corrigan has issued such seditious statements."
—MAYOR GAYNOR.

PREDICTS INTERVENTION BY FIRST OF MAY

Mexican Revolutionary Leader Says Taft's Patience Will Be Exhausted Then.

URGES MADERO TO FIGHT

General Carter Issues Orders for His Division To Be in Readiness to Move at Short Notice.

San Antonio, Tex., March 23.—The issuance of an order by General Carter making provision for a sudden move should it be required, and a statement by the leader, who at the last report was within thirty miles of the city of Chihuahua, Dr. Carieristi urged the insurgent chief to win a decisive victory at all costs by May 1, for, he wrote, "President Taft will not wait longer than that for quiet to be restored, business resumed and traffic over the railroads to be resumed."

The courier left here today with Dr. Carieristi's letter. It is not an order, Madero is the leader, but is in the nature of a report on the meaning of the mobilization of American troops in Texas.

Most of Dr. Carieristi's investigating was done at Washington, although he visited El Paso and Laredo before coming to San Antonio. An inkling that something unusual was afoot reached him some time before the famous Paris interview with José Yves Limantour, Mexican Minister of Finance, and he proceeded at once to Washington.

"Of course," he said in an interview to-day, "a complete federal triumph in Chihuahua, the restoration of communications and other business liabilities would avoid intervention. I know absolutely that President Taft is determined that one side shall be restored, and quickly, by one side or the other in Mexico, with the alternative of intervention."

"In my report to Señor Madero, I point out the necessity of capturing and holding the state of Chihuahua. If this can be accomplished, I am convinced that the revolutionists will be recognized as belligerents of the United States and other governments."

"I have reason to believe that May 1 is the date set for the termination of President Taft's patience with the disorder south of the Rio Grande. Neither side wants intervention, and I believe firmly that federalists and revolutionists would make common cause against an invader."

Foreign Financial Interests.

"The financial interests of the United States in Mexico are immense, and, with that of Europe, are greater in a money sense than those of Mexico. Recently I compiled statistics, which show that \$1,000,000,000 of American money is invested in that country, and that the interest of Europe is about half that sum."

HATPIN JABS LEGISLATOR Representative Will Now Father Bill to Stop Nuisance.

Providence, R. I., March 23.—The crusade against long hatpins gained a strong supporter to-day in Representative John B. Leeder, of Woonsocket, who, after being wounded by one of the so-called "dangerous weapons," announced that he would introduce a bill in the Legislature limiting the length of this feminine necessity.

While riding to the State House to-day Representative Leeder was stabbed in the face by a long hatpin protruding from the nose of a woman passenger. The steel prong sank deep into the left lator's nose and blood flowed freely.

PEACE MEETING POSTPONED

England Wants Simultaneous Expression on Treaty in U. S.

London, March 23.—The best means of promoting an arbitration treaty between England and the United States was considered at a meeting of the Free Church Council to-day. It was decided to postpone the projected demonstration in Albert Hall, recently arranged for April 1, so as to allow time to arrange a simultaneous expression of feeling in the United States.

This decision was largely due to a letter received from Sir Edward Grey, who advised keeping in close touch with corresponding American bodies, in order to make clear that what is done in one country is in sympathy with the feeling in the other.

A resolution was adopted asking the Lord Mayor to form a national committee for the holding of meetings in favor of the movement in all towns in the United Kingdom.

B. D. GREENE ON HIS WAY HERE

Former Savannah Harbor Contractor May Try Newspaper Work.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]
Atlanta, March 23.—Free after his four year term in the federal prison, and cheered by the good feeling of hundreds who offered him their congratulations at the Piedmont Hotel this morning, Benjamin D. Greene is on his way to New York to-night to live the rest of his days in quiet and peace with his books.

"I am an old man, too old to begin the struggle of life over again, and I expect to spend the rest of my days with my family," he said. "I shall make little or no effort to rebuild my fortunes."

It is just possible that Greene will try newspaper work. He expressed his admiration to-day for the way he had been treated by the newspapers, and told of the fascination the work had for him. John F. Gaynor, who was convicted with Greene in the Savannah Harbor contract frauds, may have a hearing Saturday on the application to swear off his fine of \$75,719.

FAIRBANKS ROAD IN TROUBLE

Report Reaches New Orleans of Receiver for Honduras National.

New Orleans, March 23.—The Honduras National Railroad, of which L. M. Fairbanks, of Mansfield, Ill., brother of former Vice-President Fairbanks, is president and chief promoter, was placed in the hands of a receiver last week, according to information received today from Trinidad, Honduras.

More than a million dollars of American capital have been invested in the project. The receivership was obtained on the application of employees, who filed claims aggregating \$200,000 against the company.

HE CALLS WOMEN "SOCIAL PARASITES"

Professor Nearing Thinks Necessity for Their Existence May Depart.

"THEY SPONGE ON THE MEN"

Quaker Educator Can See No Good in Women of the Middle and Upper Classes—Suffragists Hear Him.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Philadelphia, March 23.—In an address to the Plastic Club this afternoon Professor Scott Nearing, of the University of Pennsylvania, gave a caustic summing up to the problem of "votes for women." He declared that women "are social parasites, and until they cease to be so there is no use attempting to consider them in a serious light."

The meeting in which his address was made was attended by many women, a large part of whom were advocates of equal suffrage.

"What are you going to do with your freedom and your right to vote when you get it?" asked Dr. Nearing. "While the men are out working and making money you are sitting here at the Plastic Club listening to me talk. Are you doing your full duty to God and man when you fritter away time on embroidery or the making of a bit of Irish lace?"

"Back in the beginning of the world women were slaves," the speaker continued. "Then, finally, came a state of co-operative labor, with the cook stove and the loom. But now women have become social parasites. I hope the next stage will be better, but that is up to you women, who are clamoring so earnestly for votes. As it is now, man is the producer; woman the non-producer."

"Man bears the burden, woman, or rather woman like you, get the fun. Why, the whole concept of the women of the middle and upper classes is to sponge on the men. Unless you become producers, the economic necessity for your existence will depart, and you will cease to exist. Nature will find a way."

"What are you going to do with the boundless leisure that may come with votes?"
"You must either continue to use your selfish ends, as you do now, or turn your attention to some useful trade. Why, from 30 to 60 per cent of your time is taken up in personal adornment, fixing your hair, etc."

Professor Nearing said that in his opinion the women of this country could ruin the United States, just as the women of Rome had ruined that empire by failing in their duty and not producing enough Roman captains for the legions.

AUSTRALIA FOR ARBITRATION

Premier Says Ministry Will Give It Its Utmost Support.

Melbourne, Australia, March 23.—The Premier, Andrew Fisher, in an interview to-day on the arbitration proposals of President Taft and Sir Edward Grey, said that the Commonwealth Ministry would give its utmost support to the arbitration movement.

ANSWER CORRIGAN; DON'T DENY CHARGES

Girl Teacher Knocked Down and Robbed Within a Block of Subway Station.

HELD UP IN DAYLIGHT

Assailant Dogged Her as She Left School, Stunned Her by Blows in Face, and Tore Purse from Her Grasp.

An unknown man attacked and robbed Miss Evangeline Horwitz, a teacher in Public School 30, in West 147th street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, yesterday afternoon in broad daylight as she was hurrying through 146th street to the Lenox avenue subway station at 145th street, after school.

Miss Horwitz said she first noticed that a man was following her as she turned into 146th street from Seventh avenue. He seemed so determined to dog her steps that she walked faster. As she neared Lenox avenue she looked around to see if the man was still behind her, and as she did so, she said, he leaped upon her and struck her a stunning blow on the nose. As she was falling to the sidewalk he struck her again, beneath the right eye. She was carrying with her a small silver chatelaine bag, containing \$125 in silver, four subway tickets and two handkerchiefs. This he seized, she said, and wrenched from her grasp, breaking the chain which held the purse. Then he ran west along 146th street.

A little girl who was returning home from school saw the attack and ran across the street to where Miss Horwitz was lying on the sidewalk dazed. The girl tried to help the teacher to her feet, and, finding that she was too stunned to stand, hurried to the corner of 146th street and Lenox avenue. There she found a number of motemen, who were standing about the car barns. They hurried to Miss Horwitz and found her trying to get up. Stimulants were found in a nearby drug store and she went to her home, in the Herman Court apartments, No. 84 West 115th street. Her nose was bruised and she had a black eye.

Miss Horwitz, who lives with her widowed mother, said last night that when she was knocked down she did her best to hold her assailant in the hope that a policeman would turn up. She always went to the subway through 146th street on her way from school because it was less crowded than at 147th or 145th street. She has taught in the school for a little more than a year and is twenty-five years old. She said last night she would be in school to-day as usual.

Patrolman Fitz Morris, who arrived at the drug store just before Miss Horwitz went home, reported the matter to the West 152d street station, and Detective McNeill was assigned to the case. He searched the neighborhood, but found no trace of the man. Miss Horwitz said her assailant was about five feet eight inches in height and of dark complexion. He wore a brown suit, she said, no overcoat and a black derby hat.

BANDITS DRAW GUNS IN CLUB

Norman Buck Refuses to Give Up and the Men Get 30 Cents.

Norman Buck, treasurer of the Amity Circle, was held up in the clubhouse last night by two men, who drew guns when their demands for money were not complied with, and forced several members of the club to jump from a rear window. None of them was hurt seriously, and the raid netted the hold-up men only 30 cents.

The two men demanded \$15 and when Buck said he did not have that amount they threatened to kill him and several of the members. A member who escaped telephoned to Police Headquarters, and Detective Brennan, of the East 5th street station, was sent out. The two men escaped before his arrival. While the detective was in the club another man came in and said that he had been sent by the hold-up men to get the money for them and say that they would not bother the members again.

He could give no information about the two men. He said that he had met them but a short while before coming to the club, and had agreed to carry their message to the club. He was not arrested.

REMEMBERS POOR IN WILL

Woman Leaves \$75,000 for Excursions and Christmas Dinners.

Brooklyn, Mass., March 23.—Seventy-five thousand dollars for summer excursions, Christmas dinners and Christmas presents for the poor, was formally given to the city of Brooklyn to-night by the executors of the will of Mrs. Clara B. Snow, widow of George C. Snow, formerly a shoe manufacturer here. The announcement of the bequest was made at the City Council meeting by the executors of the Snow estate, and the gift was accepted.

The money, which is to be held in trust by the City Treasurer and the Sinking Fund Commissioner, is divided into three trusts of \$25,000 each, one providing for annual summer excursions for the poor children of the city, another providing for Christmas dinners for the city's poor, and the third for Christmas gifts to the poor children.

NEW NEVADA DIVORCE LAW

Requires Six Months' "Continual Physical Presence" in the State.

Carson, Nev., March 23.—Governor Odie has signed what is known as the "time lock" divorce law, defining six months' continual physical presence of the plaintiff in the state as the sole requisite upon which to base jurisdiction in divorce proceedings. Formerly divergent views prevailed, based upon intent, have caused confusion among judges of the various districts.

GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER for piffy has made it famous.—Advt.

Mayor Calls Corrigan's Statement Seditious, and Magistrates Criticise His Action.

TAXPAYERS MAKE PROTEST

All Save Four Colleagues Formally Condemn Him Without Comment on His Statement of Facts as He Sees Them.

The letter of Magistrate Joseph E. Corrigan to the public yesterday declaring that Mayor Gaynor "as responsible for the demoralization of the Police Department and a consequent spread of vice and crime throughout the city" drew fire from various official sources.

A special meeting, at which all save three members of the Board of Magistrates were present, was held late yesterday afternoon at the office of Chief Magistrate William McAdoo, at No. 300 Mulberry street. A statement approving of Magistrate Corrigan's action signed by all save four of the city magistrates was given out by Mr. McAdoo after the meeting. The statement did not, however, deny or attempt to disprove Magistrate Corrigan's assertions.

Mayor Gaynor said Magistrate Corrigan's utterances were "seditious." I threatened to have him removed from the bench.

Judge Rosalsky, commenting from the bench in General Sessions, said that recent cases showed that the police were timid and reluctant to make arrests of pickpockets and other criminals.

"The present conditions in this city are simply an invitation for crooks elsewhere to come here and pursue their nefarious business," said Judge Rosalsky. "Apparently the police are afraid to do their duty. One reason is because the police fear the crooks or others will lodge complaints against them with the Police Commissioner, who, it seems, is only too eager to entertain such complaints."

James Forbes, secretary of the Anti-Mendicancy Society, affirmed Magistrate Corrigan's statement that the city was infested with beggars and panhandlers. He said that conditions were worse in that respect than they had been for years.

Taxpayers Make Protest.

The West Side Taxpayers' Association, meeting last night at No. 257 West 34th street, unanimously adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That we fully indorse the remarks of Magistrate Corrigan with reference to the present conditions in this city, and we request taxpayers' organizations to co-operate with us in securing the protection to which we are entitled."

In answer to Police Commissioner Crosey, who replied to its appeal for aid that he was short-handed, the association spread upon its records statements of members of their organization that three policemen, one each eight hours of the day, are being kept on special duty in empty houses and flats which have been raided, this guard being kept up for approximately two months in each house or flat. As proof of their statements the addresses of five such houses were spread upon the records, and investigation last night showed that their statements were correct.

Thomas L. McClintock, superintendent of the Society for the Prevention of Crime, said that the social evil, disorderly houses and gambling places were more in evidence than they had been for a long time. The police showed a general unwillingness, he said, to make arrests for all sorts of petty crimes. The society has most recently directed a crusade against Sunday opening and other alleged violations of the penal laws and ordinances by the moving picture shows, while the society agents have made arrests and successfully prosecuted cases of this kind.

Magistrates Butts, Kernochan and House, in addition, of course, to Magistrate Corrigan, did not sign the statement dissenting from Magistrate Corrigan's arraignment of conditions. Magistrate Butts had expressed himself in accord with Magistrate Corrigan's views, so he and Magistrate Kernochan were not asked to attend the meeting or to sign the statement. That was because their views were already in print. Mr. McAdoo said. Magistrate House was out of town and could not be reached, it was said.

Magistrate Kernochan declined to sign the statement, though present at the meeting. His attitude was explained by a supplementary statement given out by the chief magistrate.

Kernochan Out of Controversy.

"Judge Kernochan does not consider that the magistrates are called upon to make any statement in this controversy," it read.

Magistrate Kernochan said afterward that the supplementary statement covered the situation so far as he was concerned, and that he had nothing to add to it. As soon as Mayor Gaynor found time to read the Corrigan letter carefully after reaching his office in the City Hall yesterday he issued a statement, in which he characterized Magistrate Corrigan's utterances as "seditious," and said, in effect, he would take steps for his removal from office.

The Mayor said that Chief Magistrate McAdoo had communicated with him in regard to the Corrigan letter, and "what measures his brother magistrates should take to disavow it and prevent the like in future." Mr. McAdoo said after the meeting yesterday afternoon that he had taken the initiative in the matter of calling the magistrates together without any instructions from the Mayor.

"I did call up the Mayor on the telephone this morning," said the chief magistrate, "and told him that I did not stand for Magistrate Corrigan's statement and that I did not believe a majority of the Board of Magistrates would stand for it. I called on the Mayor this